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RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 USC §371 (DO/EO/US)

Dear Sir:

In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements requesting submission of the oath of declaration of the inventors in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), Applicant states the following:

1. **An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)) has been filed in the PCT Request pursuant to Rule 4.17 (iv).** A copy of the PCT Request as originally filed is enclosed .
2. Enclosed herewith is a copy of "Notice to File Missing Requirements" form (2 pages)
3. A late oath or declaration Surcharge is believed not to be due as the oath/declaration had been filed in the PCT Request. However, in the event that the Commissioner disagrees, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the surcharge set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.16(l), and any additional fees required, to Account No. 10-0750/PRD2010USPCT /AGK. This form is submitted in duplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

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**NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)**

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 09/08/2004
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 09/08/2004
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 09/08/2004
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 09/08/2004
- Priority Documents filed on 09/08/2004

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- \$130 Surcharge for providing the oath or declaration later than 30 months from the priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)) is required.

**SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:**

Total additional fees required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity:

- \$130 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

**ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.**

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions

of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

*A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the response.*

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